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Re Applic of	Volant, et al.
Docket No.	FIS920010219US1
Serial No.	10/026,146
Filing Date	12/21/01
Attorney	Joseph P. Abate

Attached: Amendment
Amendment Transmittal Letter
Petition for Extension of Time

PLEASE DELIVER TO:**EXAMINER:** Hung K. Vu**ART UNIT:** 2811**PHONE NO:****FAX NO:** 703-872-9306

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)

Docket No.
FIS920010219US1

In Re Application Of: **Volant, et al.**

Application No. 10/026,146	Filing Date 12/21/01	Examiner Hung K. Vu	Customer No. 32074	Group Art Unit 2811	Confirmation No. 8227
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Invention: **Multi-Level RF Passive Device**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of **02/04/05** above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months
 from: **05/04/05** until: **06/06/05**

The fee for the extension of time is **\$120** and is to be paid as follows:

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 Dated: **June 6, 2005**

Joseph P. Abate
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 Registration No. 30,238

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)

Applicant(s): Volant, et al.

Docket No.

FIS920010219US1

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/026,146	12/21/01	Hung K. Vu	32074	2811	8227

Invention: Multi-Level RF Passive Device

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	14 -	20 =	0	x \$50.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	2 -	3 =	0	x \$200.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$0.00

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE	
In re application of: Richard P. Volant, et al.	Date: June 6, 2005
Serial Number: 10/026,146	Examiner: Hung K. Vu
Filed: December 21, 2001	Group Art Unit: 2811
Title: Multi-Level RF Passive Device	IBM Corporation D/18G, B/321, Zip 482 2070 Route 52 Hopewell Junction, NY 12533-6531

AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated 2/4/05, for which a one month petition for extension of time until 5/6/05 is attached, kindly amend the application as follows.

10/026,146

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